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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3720**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Felice M. Sciulli et al.  
Application No. : 10/717,744  
Filed : November 20, 2003  
For : APPARATUS FOR GENERATING A HIGH-PRESSURE FLUID  
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Examiner : Jason D. Prone  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.